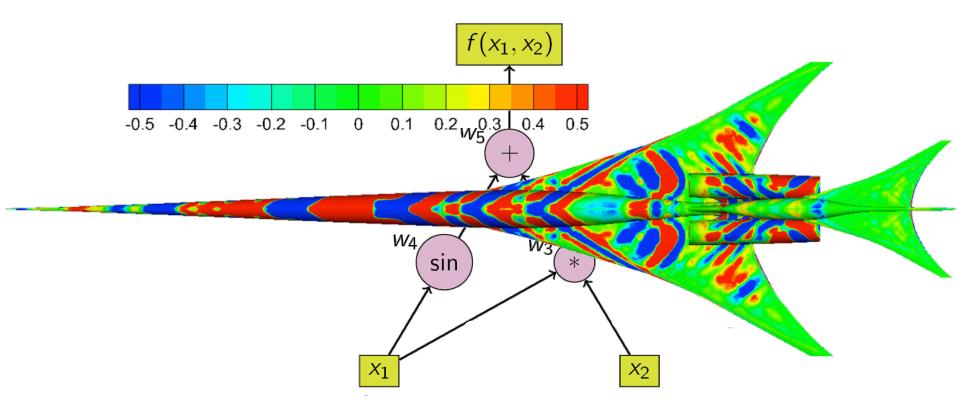


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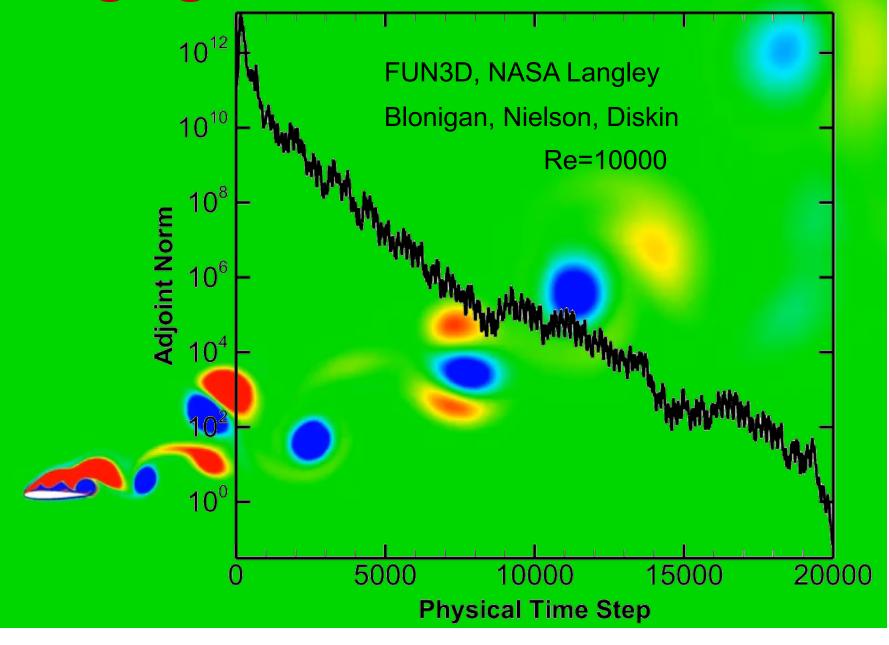
Adjoin /əˈjoin/ verb: differentiate the output of a simulation to its inputs by tracing backwards through the calculations.



Rallabhandi, Nielsen, Diskin 2012 (FUN3D)

Derivative of the loudness of a supersonic airplane with respect to its shape

Diverging adjoint in chaotic separated flow

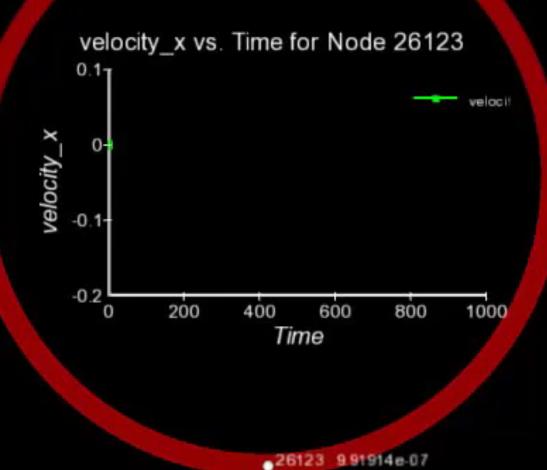


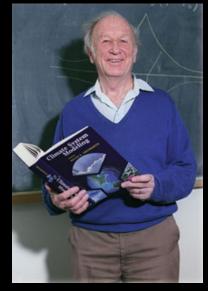
Simplified model:

X: circulation

Y: horizontal temperature inequilibrium

Z: vertical temperature inequilibrium





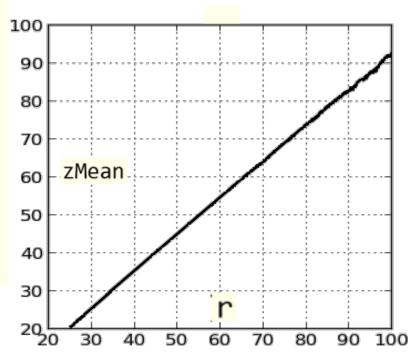


temperature

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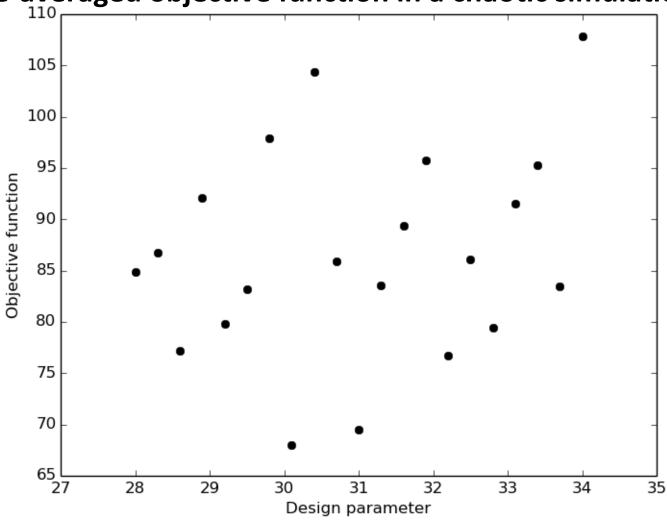
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double lorenz(r)
{
    double b = 8./3., s = 10.;
    double T = 100., dt = 0.0|1;
    double x = 1., y = 1., z = 1., zMean = 0.;
    for (double t = 0; t < T; t += dt) {
        double dx = s * (y - x);
        double dy = x * (r - z) - y;
        double dz = x * y - b * z;
        x += dt * dx;
        y += dt * dy;
        z += dt * dz;
        zMean += dt * z / T;
    }
    return zMean;
}</pre>
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d(zMean)/dr=-1.83E+23

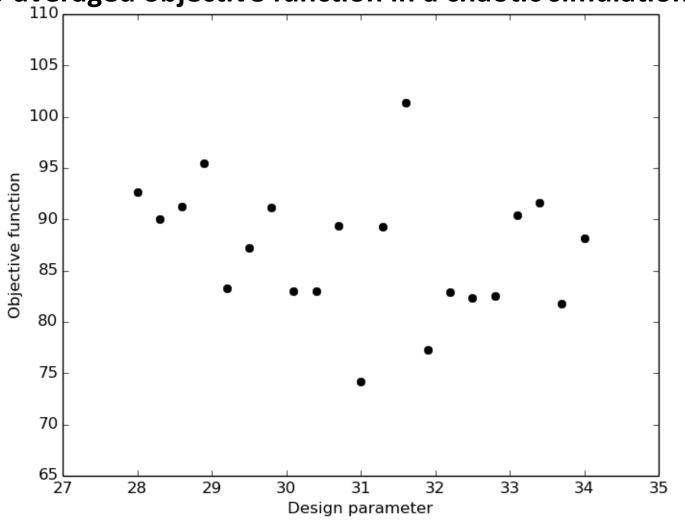


Lorenz system: solutions are sensitive small perturbations

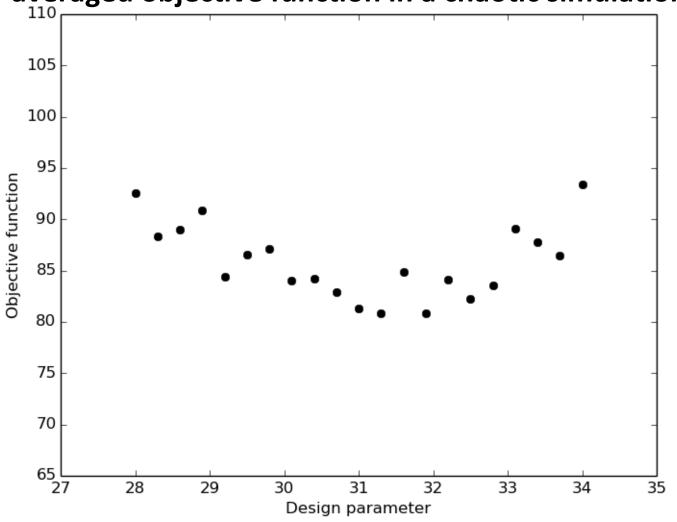
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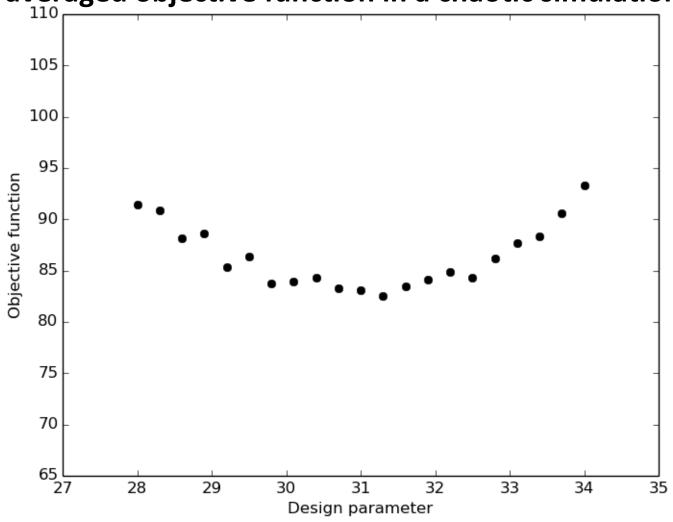
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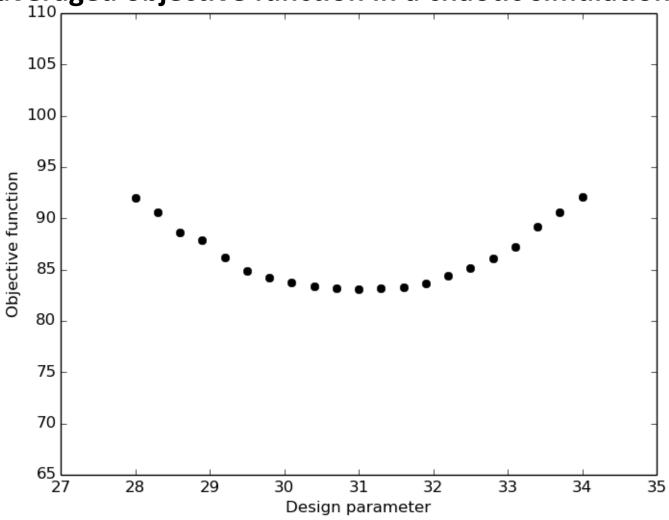
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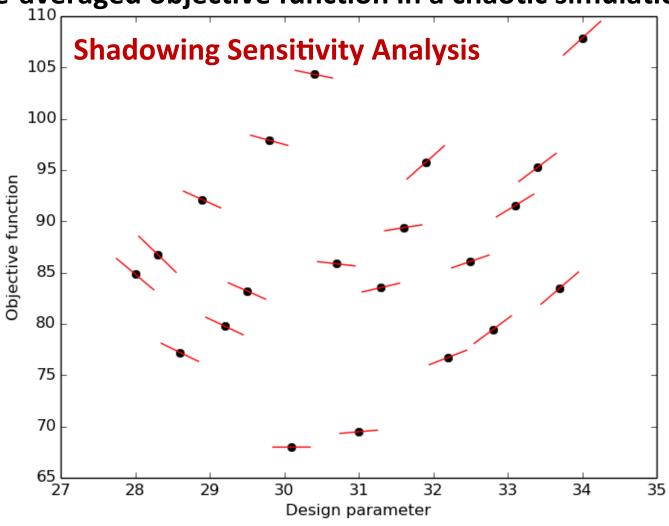
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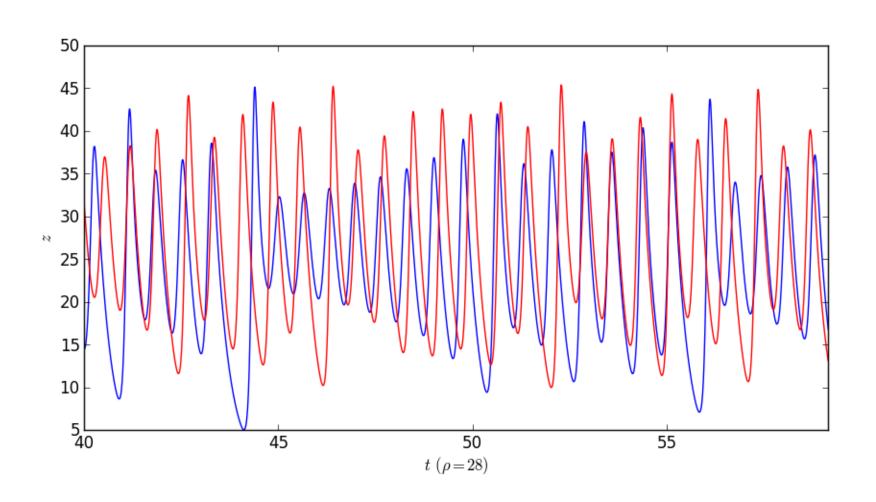
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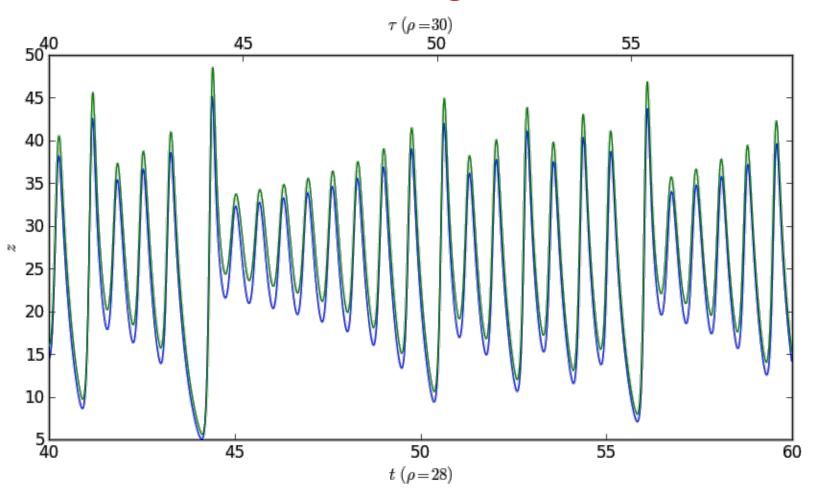
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Trajectories with similar parameters diverge

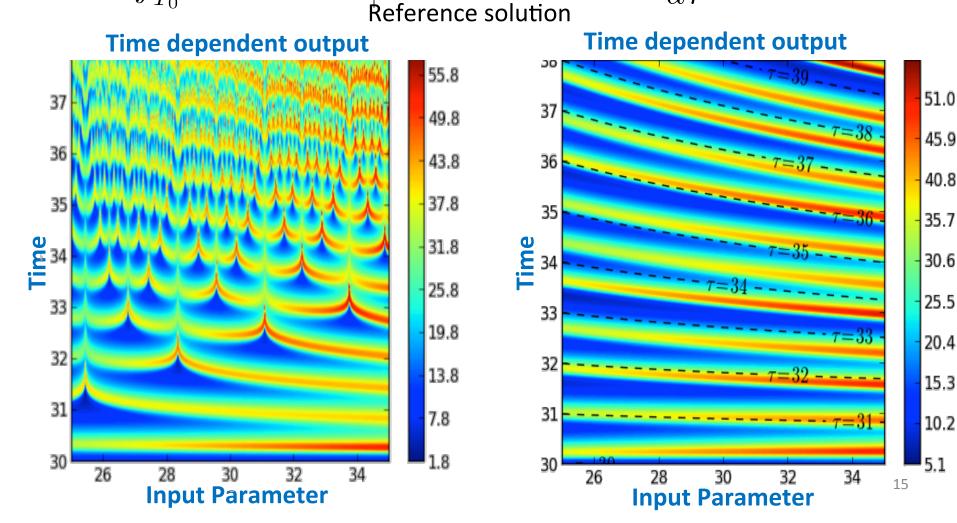


"Shadowing" Trajectories with similar parameters and carefully adjusted initial conditions do not diverge



Least Squares Shadowing: Replace the initial condition with least squares

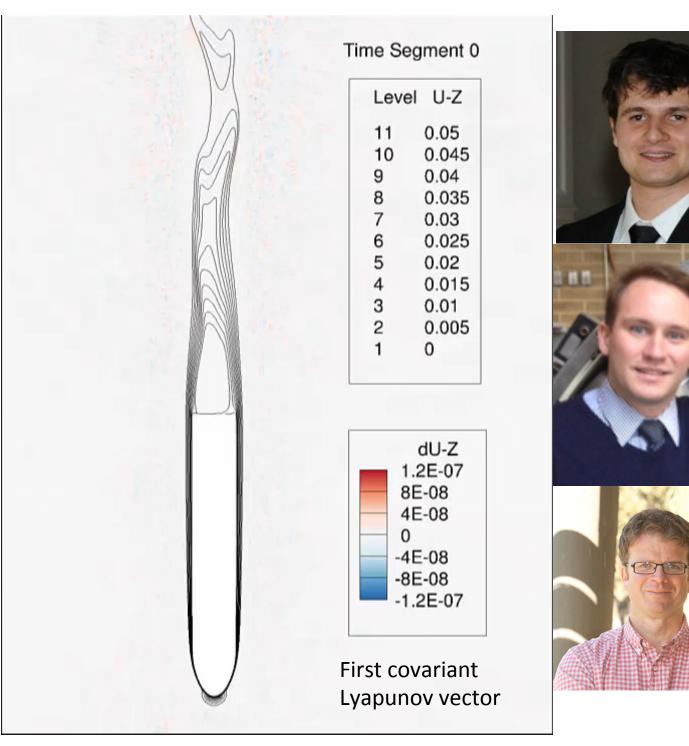
$$\min \frac{1}{2} \int_{T_0}^{T_1} \|u(\tau(t)) - u_r(t)\|^2 dt \qquad \text{s.t.} \quad \frac{du}{d\tau} = f(u; s + \delta s)$$
Reference solution



Oseledets theorem

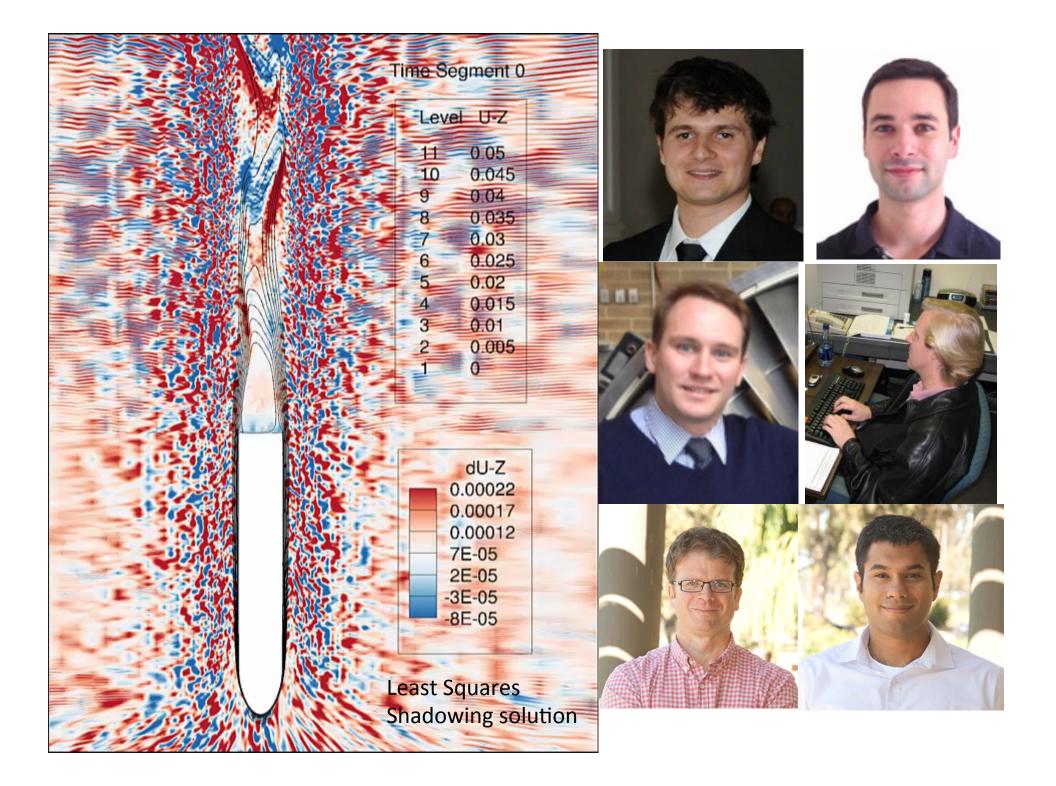
Benettin's algorithm

Ginelli's algorithm





Non-intrusive Least Squares Shadowing



Adjoint Least Squares Shadowing

Sensitivity Analysis of Chaotic Simulations

High-fidelity design in many important applications requires sensitivity analysis of chaotic simulations

Adjoint-based sensitivity analysis works, mathematically and practically, on chaotic simulations

Chaotic adjoint currently being implemented and tested on a state-of-the-art CFD solver (FUN3D)